

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 5307

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Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

REP. DOYLE, 28th Dist.

## AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE REMOVAL OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS FROM DOCUMENTS RECORDED ON THE LAND RECORDS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that any person
- 2 whose Social Security number appears on a document that is to be
- 3 recorded on the land records of a municipality may remove or cause
- 4 the removal of such Social Security number prior to the recording of
- 5 such document.

## Statement of Purpose:

To protect individual privacy and lessen the opportunity for identity theft by authorizing the removal of a person's Social Security number from a document prior to the recording of such document on the land records of a municipality.